Exhibit A **Proposed Interim Order**

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In re:

PG&E CORPORATION

Debtor.

Tax I.D. No. 94-3234914

In re:

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC

COMPANY

Debtor.

Tax I.D. No. 94-0742640

Case Nos. 19-30088 19-30089

Chapter 11

[PROPOSED] INTERIM ORDER PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. §§ 105, 362, 363,

364, 503 AND 507 AND FED. R. BANKR. P. 2002, 4001, 6004 AND 9014 (I) AUTHORIZING DEBTORS TO

ÓBTAIN SENIOR SECURED, SUPERPRIORITY, POSTPETITION

FINANCING, (II) GRANTING LIENS AND SUPERPRIORITY CLAIMS, (III) MODIFYING THE AUTOMATIC

STAY, (IV) SCHEDULING FINAL HEARING, AND (V) GRANTING

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1	RELATED RELIEF
2	Date: Time:
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Upon the Motion, dated January 29, 2019 (the "Motion"), of PG&E Corporation, a California corporation ("PG&E Corp."), and Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a California corporation ("Pacific Gas and Electric Company"), each as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors" and together with their non-Debtor affiliates, the "Company"), pursuant to sections 105, 362, 363, 364(c)(1), 364(c)(2), 364(c)(3), 364(e), 503 and 507 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), Rules 2002, 4001, 6003, 6004 and 9014 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), and the local rules for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of California (the "Local Bankruptcy Rules"), seeking entry of an interim order (this "Interim Order") and final order (the "Final Order"):

(i) authorizing the Borrower (as defined below) to obtain post-petition financing pursuant to a senior secured, superpriority debtor-in-possession new money credit facility in an aggregate principal amount of up to \$5,500,000,000 on the terms and conditions set forth in the senior secured superpriority debtor-in-possession credit, guaranty and security agreement substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 1 (the "DIP Credit Agreement")1, by and among Pacific Gas and Electric Company (the "Borrower"), PG&E Corp. and the other Guarantors (the "Guarantors"), the several banks and other financial institutions or entities from time to time party thereto as lenders or issuing lenders (collectively, the "DIP Lenders"), J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Barclays Bank PLC, Citibank, N.A., BNP Paribas Securities Corp., Credit Suisse Loan Funding LLC, Goldman Sachs Bank USA, MUFG Union Bank, N.A. and Wells Fargo Bank Securities, LLC, as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners (together and in such capacities, the "DIP Arrangers"), JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as administrative agent (in such capacity, and together with its successors

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¹ Capitalized terms used herein but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the DIP Credit Agreement.

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and permitted assigns, the "DIP Administrative Agent or "JPMCB"), and Citibank, N.A., as collateral agent (in such capacity, and together with its successors and permitted assigns, the "DIP Collateral Agent", and together with the DIP Administrative Agent, the "DIP Agents"), which credit facility shall comprise (a) a revolving credit facility (the "DIP Revolving Facility"; the loans incurred thereunder, the "DIP Revolving Loans") with aggregate commitments of up to \$3,500,000,000, including a letter of credit sub-facility in an aggregate amount of up to \$1,500,000,000, (b) a term loan facility (the "DIP Term Loan Facility") in an aggregate principal amount of \$1,500,000,000 (the loans incurred thereunder, the "DIP Term Loans") and (c) a delayed draw term loan facility in an aggregate principal amount of \$500,000,000 (the "DIP Delayed Draw Term Loan Facility") (the loans incurred thereunder, the "DIP Delayed Draw Term Loans"; the DIP Delayed Draw Term Loans together with the DIP Revolving Loans and the DIP Term Loans, the "DIP Loans"; the DIP Delayed Draw Term Loan Facility, together with the DIP Revolving Facility and the DIP Term Loan Facility, the "DIP Facilities");

- (ii) authorizing the Guarantors (together with the Borrower, the "Loan Parties") to jointly and severally guarantee on a senior secured superpriority basis the DIP Loans and the DIP Obligations (as defined below);
- (iii) authorizing the Debtors to execute and deliver the DIP Credit Agreement and other documentation, including security agreements, pledge agreements, mortgages, guaranties, promissory notes, certificates, instruments, the commitment letter, the Fee Letters (as defined below), and such other documentation which may be necessary or required to implement the DIP Facilities and perform thereunder and/or that may be reasonably requested by the DIP Administrative Agent, in each case, as amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof and hereof (collectively, together with the DIP Credit Agreement, the "DIP Loan Documents"; all loans, advances, extensions of credit, financial accommodations, reimbursement obligations, fees (including, without limitation, commitment fees, administrative agency fees and other fees payable pursuant to the Fee Letters), costs, expenses and other liabilities, all other obligations (including indemnities and similar obligations, whether contingent or absolute) and all other amounts due or payable under the DIP Loan Documents, collectively, the "DIP Obligations"), and to perform such other and further acts as may be necessary, desirable or appropriate in connection therewith:
- (iv) granting to the DIP Agents for the benefit of the DIP Lenders (collectively, the "DIP Secured Parties") allowed superpriority administrative claims pursuant to section 364(c)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code in respect of all DIP Obligations, and valid, enforceable, non-

avoidable and automatically perfected liens on and security interests in all DIP Collateral (as defined below), pursuant to sections 364(c)(2) and 364(c)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, to secure the DIP Obligations, in each case as and to the extent, and subject to the relative ranking and priorities (and, in any event, junior to the Carve-Out), set forth in this Interim Order;

- (v) authorizing the Debtors to use proceeds of the DIP Facilities, solely in accordance with this Interim Order and the DIP Loan Documents;
- (vi) authorizing the Debtors to pay all fees, costs and expenses due pursuant to the DIP Credit Agreement, the other DIP Loan Documents and the Fee Letters;
- (vii) vacating or modifying the automatic stay imposed by section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code to the extent necessary to implement and effectuate the terms and provisions of this Interim Order;
- (viii) scheduling a final hearing (the "**Final Hearing**") to consider entry of the Final Order granting the relief requested in the Motion on a final basis and approving the form of notice with respect to the Final Hearing and the transactions contemplated by the Motion; and
- (ix) waiving any applicable stay (including under Bankruptcy Rule 6004) with respect to the effectiveness and enforceability of this Interim Order and providing for the immediate effectiveness of this Interim Order.

The Court, having considered the Motion, the terms of the DIP Facilities, the DIP Credit Agreement and the declarations of David Kurtz (the "Kurtz Declaration") and Jason P. Wells (the "Wells Declaration") filed in support of the Motion, and the evidence submitted at the interim hearing held before this Court on January [•], 2019 (the "Interim Hearing") to consider entry of this Interim Order; and in accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 4001(c)(2), due and proper notice of the Motion and the Interim Hearing having been given; and it appearing that approval of the interim relief requested in the Motion is necessary to avoid immediate and irreparable harm to the Debtors pending the Final Hearing, and is otherwise fair and reasonable and in the best interests of the Debtors, their creditors and their estates, and essential for the continued operation of the Debtors' businesses; and all objections, if any, to the entry of this Interim Order having been withdrawn, resolved or overruled by the Court; and after due deliberation and consideration, and for good and sufficient cause appearing therefor:

THE COURT HEREBY MAKES THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW²

A. Petition Date.

On January 29, 2019 (the "**Petition Date**"), each of the Debtors filed a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of California commencing these Chapter 11 cases (the "**Chapter 11 Cases**").

B. Debtors-in-Possession.

The Debtors are continuing to operate their businesses and manage their respective properties as debtors-in-possession pursuant to sections 1107 and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code. No trustee or examiner has been appointed in any of the Chapter 11 Cases.

C. Jurisdiction and Venue.

The Court has jurisdiction over these proceedings, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the *Order Referring Bankruptcy Cases and Proceedings to Bankruptcy Judges*, General Order 24 (N.D. Cal.) and Rule 5011-1(a) of the Bankruptcy Local Rules for the United States District Court for the Northern District of California. Consideration of the Motion constitutes a core proceeding under 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2). Venue for the Chapter 11 Cases and the proceedings on the Motion is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409. The bases for the relief sought in the Motion and granted in this Interim Order are sections 105, 362, 363, 364, 503 and 507 of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules 2002, 4001, 6004 and 9014, and the Local Bankruptcy Rules.

² The findings and conclusions set forth herein constitute the Court's findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 7052. To the extent any findings of fact constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the extent any conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.

D. Notice.

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Notice of the Interim Hearing and the relief requested in the Motion has been provided by facsimile, electronic mail or overnight mail to: (a) the Office of the U.S. Trustee for Region 17 (Attn: Tracy Hope Davis, Esq. and Timothy Laffredi, Esq.) (the "U.S. Trustee"); (b) counsel to the DIP Agents; (c) the Debtors' fifty (50) largest unsecured creditors on a consolidated basis; (d) the Securities and Exchange Commission; (e) the Internal Revenue Service; (f) the Office of the California Attorney General on behalf of the California Public Utilities Commission; (g) the Nuclear Regulatory Commission; (h) the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission; (i) the Office of the United States Attorney for the Northern District of California; (j) all known parties asserting a lien on, or a security interest in, the assets of the Debtors to the extent reasonably known to the Debtors and (k) those persons who have formally appeared in the Chapter 11 Cases and requested service pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 (collectively, the "Notice Parties"). Under the circumstances, such notice of the Interim Hearing and the relief requested in the Motion constitutes due, sufficient and appropriate notice and complies with section 102(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules 2002 and 4001(c), and the Local Bankruptcy Rules.

E. Committee Formation.

As of the date hereof, no statutory committee ("Committee") has been appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases.

F. Permitted Prior Liens.

Nothing herein shall constitute a finding or ruling by the Court that any alleged Permitted Prior Lien or Senior Permitted Lien is valid, senior, enforceable, prior, perfected, or non-avoidable. Moreover, nothing herein shall prejudice the rights of any party-in-interest, including, but not limited to the Debtors or the DIP Secured Parties, to challenge the validity, priority, enforceability, seniority, avoidability, perfection, or extent of any alleged Permitted Prior Lien or Senior Permitted Lien.

G. Immediate Need for Postpetition Financing.

The Debtors have requested immediate entry of this Interim Order pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 4001(c)(2) and the Local Bankruptcy Rules. Good cause has been shown for immediate entry of this Interim Order pursuant to such rules. An immediate need exists for the Debtors to obtain funds and liquidity in order to, as the case may be, continue operations, to pay the costs and expenses of administering the Chapter 11 Cases, and to administer and preserve the value of their businesses and estates. The ability of the Debtors to finance their operations, to preserve and maintain the value of their assets and to maximize the return for all creditors requires the availability of the DIP Facilities. In the absence of the availability of such funds and liquidity in accordance with the terms hereof, the continued operation of the Debtors' businesses would not be possible, and serious and irreparable harm to the Debtors and their estates, creditors and other stakeholders would occur. Thus, the ability of the Debtors to preserve and maintain the value of their assets and maximize the return for creditors requires the availability of working capital from the DIP Facilities.

H. No Credit Available on More Favorable Terms.

The Debtors have been unable to obtain (a) adequate unsecured credit allowable under section 503(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code as an administrative expense or (b) credit for money borrowed with priority over any or all administrative expenses of the kind specified in sections 503(b) or 507(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtors have been unable to obtain credit for borrowed money without granting the DIP Liens, the DIP Superpriority Claim (defined below) and certain other protections set forth herein to (or for the benefit of) the DIP Secured Parties. Moreover, the Debtors were unable to obtain financing from sources other than the DIP Lenders on more favorable terms and conditions than the terms and conditions of the DIP Facilities.

I. Extension of Financing.

The DIP Secured Parties have indicated a willingness to provide financing to the Loan Parties in accordance with the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents, subject to (i) the entry of this Interim Order, including, among other things, approval of the benefits and protections for the DIP Secured Parties contained herein, (ii) approval of the DIP Loan Documents, and (iii) findings by this Court that such financing is essential to the Debtors' estates (and the continued operation of the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries), that the DIP Secured Parties are good faith financiers, and that the DIP Secured Parties' claims, superpriority claims, security interests and liens and other protections granted pursuant to and in connection with this Interim Order (and the Final Order) and the DIP Facilities (including the DIP Superpriority Claim and the DIP Liens), will not be affected by any subsequent reversal, modification, vacatur, stay or amendment of, as the case may be, this Interim Order, the Final Order or any other order, as provided in section 364(e) of the Bankruptcy Code.

J. Business Judgment and Good Faith Pursuant to Section 364(e).

- (i) The DIP Loan Documents are the result of a competitive process conducted by the Debtors, along with their advisors. The Debtors, in consultation with their advisors, concluded that the DIP Facilities represent the best available financing under the circumstances. The DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents were negotiated in good faith and at arm's length among the Debtors and the DIP Secured Parties. The terms and conditions of the DIP Facilities, the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents, and the fees paid and to be paid thereunder and under the Fee Letters, are fair, reasonable, and the best available under the circumstances, reflect the Debtors' exercise of prudent business judgment consistent with their fiduciary duties, and constitute reasonably equivalent value and consideration.
- (ii) All obligations incurred, payments made, and transfers or grants of security set forth in this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents by any Loan Party are granted to or for the benefit of the Loan Parties for fair consideration and reasonably equivalent value, and are granted contemporaneously with the making of the loans and/or commitments and other financial accommodations secured thereby.

The credit to be extended under the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP (iii) Facilities and the other DIP Loan Documents shall be deemed to be extended by the DIP Secured Parties in good faith and for valid business purposes and uses, and in express reliance upon the protections offered by section 364(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, and each of the DIP Secured Parties (and the successors and assigns of each) are entitled to the full protection and benefits of section 364(e) of the Bankruptcy Code whether or not this Interim Order or any provision hereof is vacated, reversed or modified, on appeal or otherwise.

K. Relief Essential: Best Interest.

The relief requested in the Motion (and provided in this Interim Order) is necessary, essential and appropriate for the continued operation of the Debtors' businesses and the management and preservation of their respective assets and property. It is in the best interest of the Debtors' estates that the Debtors be allowed to enter into the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents, incur the DIP Obligations and grant the liens and claims contemplated in the DIP Credit Agreement, in this Interim Order and under the other DIP Loan Documents to the DIP Secured Parties.

NOW, THEREFORE, on the Motion of the Debtors and the record before this Court with respect to the Motion, including the record made during the Interim Hearing and the Kurtz Declaration and the Wells Declaration, and with the consent of the Debtors and the DIP Secured Parties, and good and sufficient cause appearing therefor,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Motion Granted. The Motion is hereby granted on an interim basis in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Interim Order. Any objections to the Motion with respect to entry of this Interim Order to the extent not withdrawn or otherwise resolved, and all reservation of rights included therein, are hereby denied and overruled.

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2. Authorization of DIP Facilities.

- (a) The DIP Facilities and the DIP Loan Documents are hereby approved. The Debtors are hereby authorized to enter into the DIP Loan Documents and to pay all DIP Obligations without further order of the Court. The Borrower is hereby authorized to borrow money and obtain letters of credit pursuant to the DIP Loan Documents, and the Guarantors are hereby authorized to guarantee such borrowings and letters of credit, up to the aggregate amount of the Interim Financing (as defined below), in each case, in accordance with and subject to the terms of this Interim Order and the DIP Loan Documents.
- (b) In furtherance of the foregoing and without further approval of this Court, each Debtor is authorized to perform all acts, to make, execute and deliver all instruments and documents (including, without limitation, the execution or recordation of any DIP Loan Documents), and to pay all fees, that may be required or necessary for the Debtors' performance of their obligations under the DIP Facilities, including, without limitation:
 - (i) The execution, delivery and performance of the DIP Loan Documents, including, without limitation, the creation and perfection of the DIP Liens described and provided for herein;
 - (ii) The execution, delivery and performance of one or more amendments to the DIP Loan Documents for the purpose of (i) adding additional financial institutions as DIP Lenders and reallocating the commitments for the DIP Facilities among the DIP Lenders, in each case in such form as the Debtors, the DIP Administrative Agent and the affected DIP Lenders may agree or (ii) as required by the terms of that certain Fee Letter dated January 21, 2019, by and among PG&E Corporation, Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the DIP Arrangers in order to achieve a Successful Syndication (as defined therein);

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- (iii) The non-refundable payment to the DIP Administrative Agent, the DIP Arrangers and/or the DIP Lenders, as the case may be, of the fees referred to in the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Loan Documents and in the Fee Letters (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement) (which fees, whether paid prior to or after the date hereof, are hereby approved) and costs and expenses as may be due under the DIP Loan Documents from time to time, including, without limitation, fees and expenses of the professionals retained by the DIP Administrative Agent, the DIP Arrangers and/or the DIP Lenders as and to the extent provided for in the DIP Loan Documents without the necessity of filing retention motions or fee applications (subject to paragraph 17 hereof with respect to the payment of such professional fees and expenses); and
- (iv) The performance of all other acts that may be necessary, required or advisable under or in connection with the DIP Loan Documents.
- (c) The DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents shall represent, constitute and evidence the DIP Obligations, and the DIP Loan Documents and DIP Obligations shall be valid and binding, joint and several, obligations of the Debtors, enforceable against the Debtors, their estates and any successors thereto, including without limitation, any trustee appointed in any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code upon conversion of any of the Chapter 11 cases (collectively, the "Successor Cases") in accordance with the terms thereof and this Interim Order. All obligations incurred, payments made, and transfers or grants of security set forth in this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents by any Loan Party are granted to or for the benefit of the DIP Secured Parties for fair consideration and reasonably equivalent value, and are granted contemporaneously with the making of the loans and/or commitments and other financial accommodations secured thereby. No obligation incurred, payment made, transfer or grant of security set forth in this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or the other

DIP Loan Documents, in each case whether pre- or post-petition, by any Loan Party as approved under this Interim Order shall be stayed, restrained, voided, voidable or recoverable under the Bankruptcy Code or under any applicable non-bankruptcy law, or subject to any defense, reduction, subordination, setoff, recoupment, counterclaim or any other challenge under the Bankruptcy Code or any applicable non-bankruptcy law, rule or regulation.

- (d) <u>Authorization for Interim Borrowing</u>. In order to continue to operate the Debtors' businesses, from the entry of this Interim Order through the DIP Termination Date, subject to the terms and conditions of this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents, the Borrower is hereby authorized to borrow under the DIP Facilities, and the Guarantors are authorized to guarantee such borrowings, in an aggregate principal amount of up to \$1,500,000,000 under the DIP Revolving Facility (the "Interim Financing"), incurred pursuant to, and in accordance with, this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents.
- 3. **DIP Liens.** Immediately upon the entry of this Interim Order, and effective as of the Petition Date, in order to secure the DIP Obligations, the DIP Collateral Agent, for the benefit of the DIP Secured Parties, is hereby granted valid, binding, fully and automatically perfected, continuing, enforceable and non-avoidable liens and security interests (collectively, the "**DIP Liens**") in the DIP Collateral as collateral security for the prompt and complete performance and payment when due (whether at the stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise) of the DIP Obligations. The term "DIP Collateral" shall mean all prepetition and postpetition assets and properties (real and personal) of the Debtors, including all "Collateral" as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement, whether now owned by or owing to, or hereafter acquired by, or arising in favor of, the Debtors (including under any trade names, styles, or derivations thereof), whether owned or consigned by or to, or leased from or to, the Debtors, and wherever located including, without limitation, all cash and cash equivalents of the Debtors

wherever located including, inventory, accounts and accounts receivable, other rights to payment, contracts, instruments, documents and chattel paper, all securities (whether or not marketable), goods, equipment, inventory and fixtures, all real and leasehold property interests, general intangibles, patents, copyrights, trademarks, trade names and all other intellectual property, capital stock, investment property, all books and records, commercial tort claims (including, subject to the approval of the Court in the Final Order, the proceeds of all claims and causes of action arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code) and all accessions to, substitutions and replacements for, and rents, profits and products of, each of the foregoing; *provided, however*, that the DIP Collateral shall not include (x) Excluded Property (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement) or (y) any right, title and interest of the Debtors in any asset or property (or any asset or property in respect of a program) set forth on Schedule A of this Interim Order; *provided, further, however*, that DIP Collateral shall include all proceeds and products of Excluded Property that are not themselves Excluded Property.

4. **Priority of DIP Liens**.

- (a) The DIP Liens shall have the following priorities (in each case subject to the Carve-Out and Senior Permitted Liens):
 - (i) pursuant to Section 364(c)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, a first-priority perfected lien on, and security interest in, all DIP Collateral that is not subject to a valid, perfected, enforceable and unavoidable lien or security interest on the Petition Date or subject to a valid lien or security interest in existence on the Petition Date that is perfected subsequent thereto as expressly permitted by Section 546(b) of the Bankruptcy Code (the "**Permitted Prior Liens**"), and
 - (ii) pursuant to Section 364(c)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, a junior perfected lien on, and security interest in, all DIP Collateral that is subject to a Permitted Prior Lien, subject to such Permitted Prior Liens.

5. **DIP Superpriority Claim.**

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Upon the entry of this Interim Order, effective as of the Petition (a) Date, the DIP Agents, for the benefit of the DIP Secured Parties, are hereby granted pursuant to section 364(c)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, an allowed superpriority administrative expense claim (the "DIP Superpriority Claim") for all DIP Obligations, (a) which shall rank junior to the Carve-Out and (b) with priority over any and all administrative expense claims, unsecured claims and all other claims asserted against the Debtors (without the need to file a proof of claim) or their estates in any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases at any time, now existing or hereafter arising of any kind or nature whatsoever, including all other administrative expenses of the kind specified in or ordered pursuant to sections 105, 326, 328, 330, 331, 364, 365, 503(a), 503(b), 506(c), 507(a), 507(b), 546(c), 546(d), 726, 1113 and 1114 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, and over any and all other administrative expenses, unsecured or other claims arising under any other provision of the Bankruptcy Code. The DIP Superpriority Claim shall, for purposes of section 1129(a)(9)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code, be considered an administrative expense claim allowed under section 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, shall be against each Debtor on a joint and several basis, and shall be payable from and have recourse to all prepetition and postpetition property and assets of the Debtors, including all DIP Collateral (including, subject to the approval of the Court in the Final Order, all proceeds of claims and causes of action arising under chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code). The DIP Superpriority Claim shall be entitled to the full protection of section 364(e) of the Bankruptcy Code in the event that this Interim Order or any provision hereof is vacated, reversed or stayed in any respect or, except as expressly permitted by the DIP Loan Documents, modified or amended in any manner, on appeal or otherwise.

(b) Except as expressly permitted herein or in the other DIP Loan Documents, the DIP Liens and the DIP Superpriority Claim, as applicable, (i) shall not be made subject to or *pari passu* with (A) any lien, security interest or claim heretofore or

hereinafter granted in any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases, and shall be valid and enforceable against the Debtors, their estates, any trustee or any other estate representative appointed or elected in the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases and/or upon the dismissal of any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases, (B) any lien that is avoided and preserved for the benefit of the Debtors and their estates under section 551 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise, (C) any intercompany or affiliate lien or claim and (D) any liens arising after the Petition Date; and (ii) shall not be subject to sections 510, 549, 550 or 551 of the Bankruptcy Code or, subject to entry of the Final Order, Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

6. <u>Use of Proceeds of DIP Facilities; Repayment.</u>

- (a) Subject to the terms and conditions of this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents, the Loan Parties are each authorized to use proceeds of the DIP Facilities up to the amount of the Interim Financing on an interim basis, only for the purposes, and upon the terms and conditions set forth herein (a) to provide working capital and general corporate purposes, and (b) to pay fees, costs and expenses incurred in connection with the transactions contemplated by the DIP Loan Documents and professional and other fees and costs of administration incurred in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, in each case, in accordance with and subject to the terms of this Interim Order and the DIP Loan Documents.
- (b) <u>Lien Perfection</u>. This Interim Order shall be sufficient and conclusive evidence of the validity, enforceability, perfection and priority of the DIP Liens without the necessity of filing or recording any financing statement, deed of trust, mortgage, or other instrument or document which may otherwise be required under the law of any jurisdiction or the taking of any other action to validate or perfect the DIP Liens or to entitle the DIP Liens to the priorities granted herein. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Loan Parties shall be authorized to execute and deliver to the DIP Agents all financing statements, security agreements, notices of liens and other similar

documents as the DIP Agents may reasonably request to grant, preserve, protect and perfect the validity and priority of the DIP Liens; provided, however, that notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or any other DIP Loan Document, no such filing or recordation shall be necessary or required to perfect the DIP Liens, and no Loan Party or any Subsidiary of a Loan Party shall be required to execute or deliver any mortgage, authorize any fixture filing, execute or deliver any agreement providing "control" as defined in Section 9-104, 9-105, 9-106 and 9-107 of the UCC as in effect in any relevant jurisdiction or undertake any registration in respect of assets subject to a certificate of title in order to perfect the DIP Liens in any portion of the DIP Collateral, including any and all cash wherever located or held, and all such liens and security interests are hereby deemed fully and automatically perfected. The DIP Agents may, in their sole discretion, file such financing statements, security agreements, notices of liens and other similar documents, and are hereby granted relief from the automatic stay of section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code in order to do so, and all such financing statements, security agreements, notices of liens and other similar documents shall be deemed to have been filed or recorded on the Petition Date. The DIP Agents, in their sole discretion, may file a copy of this Interim Order as a financing statement with any recording officer designated to file financing statements or with any registry of deeds or similar office in any jurisdiction in which any Loan Party has real or personal property and, in such event, the subject filing or recording officer shall be authorized to file or record such copy of this Interim Order.

Administrative Agent otherwise consents in writing, until the indefeasible payment in full of all DIP Obligations (other than any indemnity, unliquidated or contingent claims that are not yet due and payable) and the termination of the DIP Agents' and the DIP Lenders' obligations to extend credit under the DIP Facilities ("payment in full" or "paid in full"), the Debtors shall continue to maintain all property, operational and other insurance

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as and to the extent required and specified in the DIP Loan Documents. Upon entry of this Interim Order and to the fullest extent provided by applicable law, the DIP Agents (on behalf of the DIP Lenders) shall be, and shall be deemed to be, without any further action or notice, named as additional insureds and loss payees on each insurance policy maintained by the Debtors that in any way relates to the DIP Collateral.

8. Limitations on the Use of Proceeds. None of the DIP Facilities, the DIP Collateral, the DIP Loans, proceeds of any of the foregoing, any portion of the Carve-Out or any other funds may be used, directly or indirectly, by any of the Debtors, any Committee, if any, or any trustee or other estate representative appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases or any other person or entity to do any of the following (nor shall any professional fees, disbursements, costs or expenses be paid in connection therewith): (a) to object to, contest, prevent, hinder, delay or interfere with, in any way, the DIP Agents' or the DIP Lenders' enforcement or realization upon any of the DIP Collateral once a DIP Termination Event (as defined below) occurs (other than with respect to rights otherwise granted herein with respect to the Remedies Notice Period); (b) to object to or challenge in any way the DIP Liens, the DIP Obligations or the DIP Collateral or any other claims or liens held by or on behalf of any of the DIP Agents or the DIP Lenders, in each case in their capacity as such; or (c) to investigate (including by way of examinations or discovery proceedings, whether formal or informal), prepare, assert, join, commence, support or prosecute any action for any claim, counter-claim, action, proceeding, application, motion, objection, defense, or other contested matter seeking any order, judgment, determination or similar relief against, or adverse in any material respect to the interests of, any of the DIP Secured Parties or any of their respective affiliates, subsidiaries, agents, officers, directors, shareholders, employees, agents, attorneys, advisors, professionals, predecessors in interest, successors and assigns with respect to any transaction, occurrence, omission, action or other matter arising under, in connection with or related to this Interim Order, the DIP Facilities or the DIP

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Loan Documents, including, without limitation, (A) any claims or causes of action arising under chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code, (B) any so-called "lender liability" claims and causes of action, (C) any claim or cause of action with respect to the validity, enforceability, priority and extent of, or asserting any defense, counterclaim, or offset to, the DIP Obligations, the DIP Superpriority Claim, the DIP Liens or the DIP Loan Documents, (D) any claim or cause of action seeking to challenge, invalidate, modify, set aside, avoid, marshal, subordinate, disallow, or recharacterize in whole or in part, the DIP Obligations, the DIP Liens, the DIP Superpriority Claim or the DIP Collateral, (E) any action seeking to modify any of the rights, remedies, priorities, privileges, protections and benefits granted to the DIP Agents or the DIP Lenders hereunder or under any of the DIP Loan Documents (in each case, including, without limitation, claims, proceedings or actions that has the effect of preventing, hindering or delaying any of the DIP Agents' or the DIP Lenders' assertions, enforcements, realizations or remedies on or against the DIP Collateral in accordance with the applicable DIP Loan Documents and this Interim Order; provided, however, that an amount no more than \$100,000 in the aggregate, to be incurred solely by any Committee, of the DIP Collateral or the Carve-Out, or proceeds from the borrowings under the DIP Facilities or any other amounts, may be used for allowed fees and expenses in investigating (but not initiating, commencing, litigating or prosecuting (including by way of formal discovery)) any potential Challenge, within the applicable Challenge Period (as defined below).

9. <u>No Further Consents</u>. To the fullest extent permitted by the Bankruptcy Code or applicable law, any provision of any lease, loan document, easement, use agreement, proffer, covenant, license, contract, organizational document or other instrument or agreement that requires the consent of any party or the payment of any fees or obligations to any governmental entity or non-governmental entity in order for the Debtors to pledge, grant, mortgage, sell, assign or otherwise transfer any fee or leasehold interest or the proceeds thereof or any other DIP Collateral is hereby deemed to be

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inconsistent with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and shall have no force or effect with respect to the DIP Liens on such leasehold interests or such other DIP Collateral or the proceeds of any assignment and/or sale thereof by any Debtor in favor of the DIP Secured Parties in accordance with the terms of the DIP Loan Documents and this Interim Order.

Carve-Out.

Subject to the terms and conditions contained in this paragraph 10, (a) the DIP Liens and the DIP Superpriority Claim shall be subject and subordinate to a carve-out (the "Carve-Out"), which shall comprise the following: (i) all fees required to be paid to the Clerk of the Court and to the Office of the U.S. Trustee pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1930(a) plus interest at the statutory rate (without regard to the notice set forth in (iii) below); (ii) all reasonable and documented fees and expenses, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$100,000, incurred by a trustee under section 726(b) of the Bankruptcy Code (without regard to the notice set forth in (iii) below); and (iii) all accrued and unpaid fees, costs and expenses (the "Estate Professional Fees") incurred by persons or firms retained by the Debtors (including for the avoidance of doubt, Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP and Weil Gotshal & Manges LLP) or any Committee, if any, pursuant to sections 327, 328, 330, 363 or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code (collectively, "Estate Professionals") (x) at any time before or on the day of delivery by the DIP Agents of a Carve-Out Trigger Notice (defined below), whether allowed by the Court prior to or after delivery of a Carve-Out Trigger Notice, and (y) after the date (the "Trigger Date") on which the DIP Agents provide written notice stating that such notice is a "Carve-Out Trigger Notice" (the "Carve-Out Trigger Notice") that a DIP Termination Event has occurred and has triggered the Carve-Out, to the extent allowed at any time, the payment of any Estate Professional Fees of Estate Professionals in an amount not exceeding \$25,000,000 in the aggregate incurred after the Trigger Date (the "Post-Carve-Out Trigger Notice Cap"). The dollar limitation in clause (iii)(y) above

on fees and expenses shall not be reduced or increased by the amount of any compensation or reimbursement of expenses paid prior to the occurrence of a DIP Termination Event in respect of which the Carve-Out is invoked. The ability of any party to object to the fees, expenses, reimbursement or compensation described above shall not be impaired by the terms of the Carve-Out.

- (b) On the day on which a Carve-Out Trigger Notice is given by the DIP Agents to the Borrower, the Debtors shall promptly provide notice by email to all Estate Professionals, at the email addresses set forth in each Estate Professional's notice of appearance filed with the Court (or, if there is no such notice of appearance, at such Estate Professional's last known email address) informing them that such Carve-Out Trigger Notice has been received and further advising them that the Debtors' ability to pay such Estate Professional's is subject to and limited by the Carve-Out.
- (c) Nothing herein or in any of the DIP Loan Documents shall be construed as consent to the allowance of any particular professional fees or expense of the Debtors, of any Committee, or of any other person or shall affect the right of the DIP Secured Parties to object to the allowance and payment of such fees and expenses. The DIP Secured Parties shall not be responsible for the direct payment or reimbursement of any fees or disbursements of any Estate Professionals incurred in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases under any chapter of the Bankruptcy Code. Nothing in the Interim Order or otherwise shall be construed to obligate the DIP Secured Parties in any way to pay compensation to or to reimburse expenses of any Estate Professional, or to guarantee that the Debtors have sufficient funds to pay such compensation or reimbursement.
- (d) For the avoidance of doubt, the DIP Agents and the DIP Lenders shall have no obligation to lend or advance any additional funds to or on behalf of Debtors, or provide any other financial accommodations to Debtors, immediately upon or after the occurrence of a DIP Termination Event, or upon the occurrence of any act, event

or condition that, with the giving of notice or the passage of time, or both, would constitute a DIP Termination Event.

- (e) For the avoidance of doubt and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Interim Order or in the DIP Loan Documents, the Carve-Out shall be senior to all liens and claims securing the DIP Facility, and any and all other forms of liens or claims securing the DIP Obligations.
- Proceeds of Subsequent Financing. If at any time prior to payment in full of all DIP Obligations, the Debtors, the Debtors' estates, any trustee, any examiner or any responsible officer subsequently appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases or the Successor Cases, shall in violation of this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents, obtain credit or incur debt pursuant to sections 364(b), (c) or (d) of the Bankruptcy Code, and such financings are secured by any DIP Collateral, then all of the cash proceeds derived from such credit or debt shall immediately be turned over to the DIP Agents for application in accordance with the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents.
- 12. <u>Disposition of Collateral</u>. The Debtors shall not sell (including, without limitation, any sale and leaseback transaction), transfer (including any assignment of rights), lease, encumber or otherwise dispose of any portion of the Collateral, except as expressly permitted by the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents.

13. Termination Events.

(a) Each of the following occurrences or events shall constitute a termination event under this Interim Order (each, a "DIP Termination Event", and the date upon which such DIP Termination Event occurs, the "DIP Termination Date"): (i) the occurrence of the scheduled maturity date of the DIP Facilities (subject to extension to the extent expressly set forth in Section 2.5 of the DIP Credit Agreement); (ii) April 15, 2019, if the Final Order, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the DIP Administrative Agent and the Debtors, has not been entered by the Court by such date;

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(iii) the consummation of a sale of all or substantially all of the Debtors' assets under Section 363 of the Bankruptcy Code; (iv) the date of substantial consummation (as defined in Section 1101 of the Bankruptcy Code and which for purposes hereof shall be no earlier than the "effective date" thereof) of any Chapter 11 plan; and (v) the occurrence and continuation of an Event of Default (as defined in the DIP Credit

14. Rights and Remedies Upon DIP Termination Event; Modification of Automatic Stay.

Any automatic stay otherwise applicable to the DIP Secured Parties, whether arising under sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise, is hereby modified, without further notice to, hearing of, or order from this Court, to the extent necessary to permit the DIP Agents, upon the occurrence and during the continuation of a DIP Termination Event, to exercise all rights and remedies provided for in this Interim Order, any of the DIP Loan Documents or applicable law, including, without limitation, (i) declare the termination, reduction or restriction of any further commitment to the extent any such commitment remains (including provision of any letters of credit) under the DIP Facilities, (ii) declare all DIP Obligations to be immediately due and payable, without presentment, demand, protest, or other notice of any kind, all of which are expressly waived by the Debtors, (iii) the termination of the DIP Loan Documents as to any future liability or obligation of the DIP Agents and the DIP Lenders, but without affecting any of the DIP Liens or the DIP Obligations of any Loan Party, (iv) freeze monies or balances in the Debtors' accounts and/or set off any and all amounts in accounts maintained by the Debtors with the DIP Agents or the DIP Lenders against the DIP Obligations, (v) otherwise enforce any and all rights against the DIP Collateral under the DIP Loan Documents and (vi) take any other actions or exercise any other rights or remedies permitted under this Interim Order, the DIP Loan Documents or applicable law; provided that, prior to the exercise of any right in clause (iv) through

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(vi) of this paragraph, the DIP Administrative Agent, at the direction of the Required Lenders, shall provide seven (7) calendar days' written notice (which may be via electronic mail or other electronic means) to lead counsel to the Debtors, lead counsel to any Committee, bankruptcy counsel to the CPUC and the U.S. Trustee of the occurrence of a DIP Termination Event and its intent to exercise such rights and remedies (the "Remedies Notice Period").

- (b) Unless during such Remedies Notice Period, the Court determines that a DIP Termination Event has not occurred, the automatic stay imposed under section 105 or 362(a) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise as to the DIP Administrative Agent and the DIP Lenders, shall automatically be terminated immediately upon the expiration of the Remedies Notice Period, and the DIP Administrative Agent and the DIP Lenders shall be permitted to exercise any and all rights and remedies set forth herein, in the DIP Loan Documents and as otherwise available at law without further order of or application to the Court.
- (c) The automatic stay imposed under section 362(a) of the Bankruptcy Code is hereby modified pursuant to the terms of this Interim Order as necessary to permit (a) the Debtors to grant the DIP Liens and the DIP Superpriority Claim, (b) the Debtors to incur all DIP Obligations and pay all fees, costs and expenses under the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents, and (c) the implementation of all of the terms, rights, benefits, privileges and remedies of this Interim Order and the DIP Loan Documents, in each case, without further notice, hearing or order of the Court.
- 15. **Proofs of Claim**. None of the DIP Secured Parties shall be required to file proofs of claim in any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases for any claim allowed in this Interim Order. Notwithstanding any order entered by the Court in relation to the establishment of a bar date in any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases to the contrary, the DIP Agents, on behalf of themselves and the DIP Secured Parties, are

file (and amend and/or supplement, as each sees fit) a proof of claim and/or aggregate proofs of claim in each of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases for any claim allowed in this Interim Order; for avoidance of doubt, any such proof of claim may (but is not required to be) filed as one consolidated proof of claim against all of the Debtors, rather than as separate proofs of claim against each Debtor. Any proof of claim filed by the DIP Agents shall be deemed to be in addition to and not in lieu of any other proof of claim that may be filed by any of the respective DIP Secured Parties. Any order entered by the Court in relation to the establishment of a bar date for any claim (including without limitation administrative claims) in any of the Chapter 11 Cases or any Successor Cases shall not apply to the DIP Agents or the other DIP Secured Parties.

hereby authorized and entitled, in their sole and absolute discretion, but not required, to

- Modification or Stay of this Interim Order. The DIP Secured Parties have acted in good faith in connection with the DIP Facilities, and their reliance upon this Interim Order is in good faith. Based on the findings set forth in this Interim Order and the record made at the Interim Hearing, and in accordance with section 364(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, in the event any or all of the provisions of this Interim Order are hereafter modified, amended, vacated or stayed by a subsequent order of this Court or any other court, the DIP Secured Parties are entitled to all the protections and benefits provided by section 364(e) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 17. **Expenses**. The Debtors are authorized to pay all prepetition and postpetition fees, costs, disbursement and expenses of the DIP Agents and the DIP Lenders that are payable by Debtors in accordance with the DIP Loan Documents and this Interim Order. The invoice for any such fees and expenses shall not be required to comply with the U.S. Trustee guidelines, but shall be reasonably detailed (and may be redacted for privilege or confidentiality concerns), and shall be sent to the U.S. Trustee, lead counsel for any Committee appointed in the Debtors' Chapter 11 Cases and lead

counsel to the Debtors (collectively, the "Fee Notice Parties"). If no objection to payment of the requested fees and expenses are made, in writing by any of the Fee Notice Parties within ten (10) calendar days after delivery of such invoices (the "Fee Objection Period"), then, without further order of, or application to, the Court or notice to any other party, such fees and expenses shall be paid by the Debtors to the extent payable in accordance with the terms of the DIP Credit Agreement. If an objection is made by any of the Fee Notice Parties within the Fee Objection Period to payment of the requested fees and expenses, then only the disputed portion of such fees and expenses shall not be paid until the objection is resolved by the applicable parties in good faith or by order of the Court, and the undisputed portion shall be paid by the Debtors to the extent payable in accordance with the terms of the DIP Credit Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Debtors are authorized to pay on the Closing Date all reasonable and documented fees, costs, and out-of-pocket expenses of the DIP Administrative Agent incurred on or prior to such date to the extent payable in accordance with the terms of the DIP Credit Agreement.

- 18. <u>Indemnification</u>. The Debtors are authorized to indemnify and hold harmless the DIP Agents, the DIP Lenders and each of the Indemnitees (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement) in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions of the DIP Credit Agreement.
- 19. <u>Binding Effect</u>. The provisions of this Interim Order shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Debtors, the DIP Secured Parties and their respective successors and assigns (including any trustee or other fiduciary hereinafter appointed as a legal representative of the Debtors or with respect to the property of the estates of the Debtors), any and all creditors of the Debtors, any Committee and any other parties in interests and each of their respective successors and assigns, whether in the Chapter 11 Cases, in any Successor Cases, or upon dismissal of any such chapter 11 or chapter 7 case.

- 20. No Waiver by Failure to Seek Relief. The failure at any time of the DIP Secured Parties to require strict performance by the Debtors of any provision of this Interim Order, or to seek relief or otherwise exercise their rights and remedies under this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents or otherwise, shall not prejudice or constitute a waiver of any of the DIP Secured Parties' rights hereunder, thereunder, or otherwise. None of the rights or remedies of any party under this Interim Order shall be deemed to have been amended, modified, suspended or waived unless such amendment, modification, suspension or waiver is in writing and signed by the party against whom enforcement is sought. No consents required hereunder by any of the DIP Secured Parties shall be implied by any inaction or acquiescence by any of the DIP Secured Parties.
- 21. Rights Reserved. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Interim Order, the entry of this Interim Order is without prejudice to, and does not constitute a waiver of, expressly or implicitly, or otherwise impair any of the rights, claims, privileges, objections, defenses or remedies of the DIP Secured Parties under the Bankruptcy Code or under applicable non-bankruptcy law against any other person or entity in any court, including without limitation, the right of the DIP Agents (i) to request conversion of the Chapter 11 Cases to cases under chapter 7, dismissal of the Chapter 11 Cases, or the appointment of a trustee in the Chapter 11 Cases, (ii) to propose, subject to the provisions of section 1121 of the Bankruptcy Code, a Chapter 11 plan; (iii) to request modification of the automatic stay; or (iv) to exercise any of the rights, claims or privileges (whether legal, equitable or otherwise) on behalf of the DIP Secured Parties.
- 22. **No Third Party Rights**. Except as explicitly provided for herein, this Interim Order does not create any rights for the benefit of any third party, creditor, equity holder or any direct, indirect, third party or incidental beneficiary.
- 23. <u>Section 506(c) Waiver</u>. As a material inducement to the DIP Secured Parties to agree to provide the DIP Facilities, and in exchange for the DIP Agents' and

the DIP Lenders' willingness to provide the DIP Facilities and their agreement to subordinate their liens and superpriority claims to the Carve-Out to the extent set forth herein, (and without prejudice to the contention of the DIP Agents and the DIP Lenders that section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code does not apply to the DIP Facilities), upon entry of the Final Order, no costs or expenses of administration which have been or may be incurred in the Chapter 11 Cases at any time, including, without limitation, any costs and expenses incurred in connection with the preservation, protection or enhancement of realization by the DIP Lenders upon the DIP Collateral, shall be charged against any of the DIP Agents, the DIP Lenders, the DIP Obligations or DIP Collateral pursuant to sections 105 or 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise without the prior express written consent of the DIP Administrative Agent, in its sole discretion, and no such consent shall be implied, directly or indirectly, from any other action, inaction, or acquiescence by any such agents or creditors (including, without limitation, consent to the Carve-Out), in each case, except for the Carve-Out.

- 24. **No Marshalling**. The DIP Secured Parties shall not be subject to the equitable doctrine of "marshaling" or any other similar doctrine with respect to any of the DIP Collateral.
- 25. Right to Credit Bid. Subject to the terms and conditions of the DIP Loan Documents, each of the DIP Agents (at the direction of the Required Lenders) shall have the unqualified right to "credit bid" up to the full amount of the DIP Obligations (other than any obligations in respect of Letters of Credit), as applicable, in connection with any sale or other disposition of all or any portion of the DIP Collateral, including, without limitation, sales occurring pursuant to section 363 of the Bankruptcy Code or included as part of any restructuring plan subject to confirmation under section 1129(b)(2)(A)(iii) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 26. <u>Amendments</u>. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, no amendment, modification or supplement of any of the DIP Loan Documents

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shall be effective unless in writing and in accordance with the applicable DIP Loan Documents. Subject to the terms and conditions of the applicable DIP Loan Documents, the Debtors and the applicable DIP Secured Parties may make any nonmaterial amendment, modification or supplement of any provision of the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents, and the Debtors are authorized to enter into any such amendment, modification, supplement or waiver, without further notice to or approval of the Court. In the case of any material amendment, modification, or supplement to the DIP Loan Documents that is adverse to the Debtors (a "Material Amendment"), the Debtors shall provide notice (which may be provided via electronic mail or other electronic means) to the Notice Parties, each of whom shall have five (5) calendar days from the date of receipt of such notice to object in writing to such Material Amendment; provided, however, that any amendment, modification or supplement to the DIP Loan Documents for the purpose of adding additional financial institutions as DIP Lenders and reallocating the commitments for the DIP Facilities among the DIP Lenders or to achieve a "Successful Syndication" as contemplated by paragraph 2(b)(ii) shall not require notice to any person or entity or further order of the Court. If no objections are timely received (or if the Notice Parties indicate via electronic mail that they have no objection) to the Material Amendment, the Debtors may proceed to execute the Material Amendment, which shall become effective immediately upon execution. If a Notice Party timely objects, approval of the Court (which may be sought on an expedited basis) will be necessary to effectuate the Material Amendment.

27. **Priority of Terms**. To the extent of any conflict between or among (a) the express terms or provisions of any of the DIP Loan Documents, the Motion, any other order of this Court (including, without limitation, the Cash Management Order), or any other agreements, on the one hand, and (b) the terms and provisions of this Interim Order, on the other hand, unless such term or provision herein is phrased in terms of "as

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defined in" or "as set forth in" any of the DIP Loan Documents, the terms and provisions of this Interim Order shall govern.

- 28. **Survival of Interim Order**. The provisions of this Interim Order and any actions taken pursuant hereto shall survive and shall not be modified, impaired or discharged by entry of any order which may be entered (i) confirming any Chapter 11 plan in the Chapter 11 Cases, (ii) converting any of the Chapter 11 Cases to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, (iii) dismissing any of the Chapter 11 Cases, (iv) withdrawing of the reference of any of the Chapter 11 Cases from this Court or (v) providing for abstention from handling or retaining of jurisdiction of any of the Chapter 11 Cases in this Court. The terms and provisions of this Interim Order, including the DIP Liens, DIP Superpriority Claim, and other rights, privileges, benefits and protections afforded herein and in the DIP Loan Documents to the DIP Secured Parties shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the entry of such order, and shall maintain their respective priorities as provided by this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement and the other DIP Loan Documents (as the case may be) until the payment in full of the DIP Obligations, and this Court shall retain jurisdiction, notwithstanding dismissal of any of the Chapter 11 Cases, for the purposes of enforcing the foregoing to the extent permitted by applicable law.
- 29. <u>Enforceability</u>. This Interim Order shall constitute findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 7052 and shall take effect and be fully enforceable *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date immediately upon execution hereof. Any finding of fact shall constitute a finding of fact even if it is stated as a conclusion of law, and any conclusion of law shall constitute a conclusion of law even if it is stated as a finding of fact.
- 30. <u>Waiver of Any Applicable Stay</u>. This Interim Order shall be effective upon its entry and not subject to any stay (all of which are hereby waived),

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notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Bankruptcy Rule 4001(a)(3), 6004 or any other Bankruptcy Rule.

- 31. <u>Discharge</u>. The DIP Obligations shall not be discharged by the entry of an order confirming any plan in any of the Chapter 11 Cases, notwithstanding the provisions of section 1141(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, unless such obligations have been indefeasibly paid in full in cash, on or before the effective date of such confirmed plan, or each of the DIP Secured Parties has otherwise agreed in writing.
- 32. Limitation of Liability. In determining to make any loan under the DIP Loan Documents pursuant to this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents, the DIP Secured Parties in their capacity as such shall not be deemed to be in control of the operations of the Loan Parties or to be acting as a "responsible person" or "owner or operator" with respect to the operation or management of the Loan Parties (as such terms, or any similar terms, are used in the United States Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 29 U.S. §§ 9601 et seq., as amended, or any similar federal or state statute). Furthermore, nothing in this Interim Order, the DIP Credit Agreement or the other DIP Loan Documents shall in any way be construed or interpreted to impose or allow the imposition upon the DIP Secured Parties of any liability for any claims pursuant to environmental law arising from the prepetition or postpetition activities of any of the Loan Parties. None of the DIP Secured Parties in their capacity as such or any of their Affiliates are successors to the Debtors or their estates by reason of any theory of law or equity, and none of the DIP Secured Parties or any of their Affiliates shall assume or in any way be responsible for any liability or obligation pursuant to environmental law of any of the Debtors and/or their estates. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of this paragraph 32 shall apply only to the extent that the DIP Lenders' actions do not (a) constitute, within the meaning of 42 U.S.C. § 9601(20)(F), actual participation in the management or operational affairs of a vessel or facility owned, leased or operated by a Debtor, or

(b) otherwise cause (i) liability to arise to the federal or state government or (ii) the status of any responsible person or the managing agent to exist, in each case under applicable law (as such terms, or any similar terms, are used in the United States Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. § 9601 *et seq.*, as amended, or any similar federal or state statute).

33. Cash Management Liens; Exchange Operator Liens.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Interim Order, none of the DIP Liens shall prime any properly perfected lien or security interest in cash collateral or letters of credit securing any obligations owed by any Loan Party to:

- (a) to the extent existing as of the Petition Date, any Cash Management Bank under any Cash Management Agreement entered into with any Loan Party; or
- Order (as defined below)) (including the liens granted pursuant to paragraph 4 of the Order Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 105, 362, 363, and 364 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 6003 And 6004 Authorizing Debtors to (A) Honor Prepetition Obligations to Natural Gas and Electricity Exchange Operators, (B) Grant Administrative Expense Claims and Authorize Posting of Postpetition Collateral to Exchange Operators, Trading Counterparties, and Future Commission Merchants, (C) Modify the Automatic Stay, and (D) Grant Related Relief (the "Exchange Operator Order"), which provision shall remain in full force and effect and shall not be modified by the terms of this Interim Order), and all such liens and security interests shall be deemed to be Senior Permitted Liens hereunder and under the DIP Credit Agreement.]
- 34. <u>Limitation on Transfer of DIP Collateral</u>. The limited exemption that CPUC granted to the Debtors in proceedings A. 18-10-003 and A.18-11-001 (the "CPUC DIP Proceedings") pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections 829(c) and 853(b) in respect of the Debtors' debtor-in-possession financing does not extend to the transfer of

ownership of any utility asset that is part of the DIP Collateral pursuant to the DIP Loan Documents. Prior to any exercise of remedies by the DIP Secured Parties that would result in the transfer of any utility asset that is part of the DIP Collateral pursuant to the DIP Loan Documents, the Debtors must seek CPUC approval to execute such a transfer under Public Utilities Code Section 851.

35. <u>Notice to CPUC</u>. Within three days of the Petition Date, the Debtors shall file and serve a compliance filing in the CPUC DIP Proceedings, notifying CPUC of its filing and setting forth the terms of the debtor-in-possession financing authorized herein. Within three days of incurrence of an Incremental Facility, the Debtors shall file and serve a compliance filing in the CPUC DIP Proceedings, notifying CPUC of the terms thereof.

36. Final Hearing.

- (a) The Final Hearing to consider entry of the Final Order and final approval of the DIP Facilities is scheduled for [●], 2019, at [●] [a.m./p.m.] (Prevailing Pacific Time) at the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of California. If no objections to the relief sought in the Final Hearing are filed and served in accordance with this Interim Order, no Final Hearing may be held, and a separate Final Order (in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the DIP Agents) may be presented by the Debtors and entered by this Court.
- (b) On or before [●], 2019 the Debtors shall serve, by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, notice of the entry of this Interim Order and of the Final Hearing (the "Final Hearing Notice"), together with copies of this Interim Order and the Motion, on the Notice Parties and to any other party that has filed a request for notices with this Court prior thereto and to any Committee after the same has been appointed, or Committee counsel, if the same shall have been appointed. The Final Hearing Notice

shall state that any party in interest objecting to the entry of the proposed Final Order shall file written objections with the Clerk of the Court no later than [●], 2019 at [●] [a.m./p.m.] (Prevailing Pacific Time), which objections shall be served so that the same are received on or before such date by: (a) proposed special counsel for the Debtors, Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP, Worldwide Plaza, 825 Eighth Avenue, New York, NY 10019 (Attn: Paul H. Zumbro, George E. Zobitz, Stephen M. Kessing and Nicholas A. Dorsey); (b) proposed counsel for the Debtors, Weil Gotshal & Manges, LLP, 767 Fifth Ave., New York, NY 10153-0119 (Attn: Daniel S. Dokos and Jessica Liou); (c) counsel to the DIP Administrative Agent, Stroock & Stroock & Lavan, LLP, 180 Maiden Lane, New York, NY 10038 (Attn: Kristopher M. Hansen, Erez E. Gilad, Frank A. Merola and Matthew G. Garofalo); (d) counsel to any Committee; and (e) the U.S. Trustee.

37. **Retention of Jurisdiction**. The Court has and will retain jurisdiction to hear, determine and, if applicable, enforce the terms of, any and all matters arising from or related to the DIP Facilities and/or this Interim Order.

END OF ORDER

Schedule A³

Directed Contracts

Any right, title, and interest of the Debtors in respect of contracts that the Debtors have entered into as of the Petition Date pursuant to an express CPUC directive or another express Requirement of Law, as provided below:

- 1. The Energy Upgrade California marketing initiative, including any contracts related to the transition to time of use rate plans, as directed by D. 16-09-02 and D. 15-07-001.
- 2. The review of third-party solicitations in respect of energy efficiency programs by independent evaluators, as directed by D. 18-01-004.
- 3. Affiliate transactions audit, as directed by D. 06-12-029.
- 4. Rule 20A undergrounding audits, as directed by D. 18-03-022.
- 5. The Gridworks management of working groups in the interconnection proceeding, in relation to R. 17-07-007.
- 6. The CCA code of conduct audit, as directed by D. 12-12-036.
- 7. The catastrophic event memorandum account audit, as directed by Res. ESRB-4.

Operational Funding

1. Any fees or amounts that the Debtors are required to collect and remit to CPUC, the Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission, or other governmental entity, each pursuant to an express CPUC directive or another express Requirement of Law as in existence as of the Petition Date.

Funds Held in Trust or Escrow

- 1. Any assets or property held by the Debtors in trust for, or otherwise administered for the benefit of, the public or public good, pursuant to an express CPUC directive or another express Requirement of Law, each as in existence as of the Petition Date as provided below:
 - a. Settlement funds in relation to energy crisis litigation that have been deposited in escrow, as directed by the 2003 Bankruptcy Settlement.
 - b. Amounts obligated to be funded by the Debtors in respect of the decommissioning of the Diablo Canyon power plant, as directed by Pub. Util. Code Section 8325.

Sierra Stewardship Lands

³ To the extent any directed contracts, operational funding requirements, programs requiring funds to be held in trust or escrow, billing agent programs or clean energy programs to which the Debtors were obligated pursuant to an express CPUC directive or express Requirement of Law in existence as of the Petition Date was inadvertently omitted from this schedule, it will be entitled to the same treatment afforded to the property and programs described herein.

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1. Land identified in that certain Settlement Agreement, dated December 19, 2003, among the Debtors and CPUC, and the related Stipulation Resolving Issues Regarding the Land Conservation Commitment that has not been made subject to an easement or donated in accordance with the obligations set forth therein, which includes, for the avoidance of doubt, the Watershed Lands and the Carizzo Plains (both, as defined in and identified by the Settlement Agreement).

Billing Agent Programs

Funds collected by the Debtors as billing agent for programs pursuant to an express CPUC directive or another express Requirement of Law, each as in existence prior to the Petition Date, as provided below:

- 1. Community choice aggregators, as directed by Cal. Pub. Util. Code Section 366.2.
- 2. Energy service providers, as directed by Cal. Pub. Util. Code Sections 365.1 and 366.
- 3. Core transportation agents, as directed by Cal. Util. Code Section 980 et seq.
- 4. Department of Water Resources bond charges, as directed by Cal. Pub. Util. Code Section 80110.
- 5. The surcharge on (a) natural gas bills that funds cost-effective energy efficiency programs (as directed by Cal. Pub. Util. Code Section 890 *et seq*) and (b) electricity bills to fund public purpose revenue streams (as directed by Cal. Pub. Util. Code Section 381 *et seq*).

Clean Energy Programs

Funds required to be budgeted for, and any right, title and interest of the Debtors in, contracts and programs pursuant to an express CPUC directive or another express Requirement of Law existing prior to the Petition Date, as provided below:

- 1. Demand response auction mechanisms, as directed by D. 14-12-024.
- 2. Self-generation incentive programs, as directed by D. 01-03-073.
- 3. Energy efficiency programs, including, but not limited to, custom projects through third-party implementers, funding to local governments for local governmental programs and funding for regional energy networks, as directed by D. 18-01-004.
- 4. The Community Solar Green Tariff Program, as directed by D. 18-06-027.
- 5. The Disadvantaged Communities Green Tariff Program, as directed by D. 18-06-027.
- 6. The Disadvantaged Communities Single-family Solar Homes Program, as directed by D. 18-06-027.
- 7. The California Solar Initiative Program, as directed by D. 06-01-024.
- 8. The California Solar Initiative Thermal Program, as directed by D. 10-01-022.

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- 9. The CSI Multifamily Affordable Solar Housing Program, as directed by D. 08-10-036.
- 10. The Net Energy Metering Program, as directed by D. 16-01-044.
- 11. San Joaquin Valley pilot projects, as directed by D. 18-12-015.
- 12. The Single Family Affordable Solar Housing Program, as directed by D. 07-11-045.
- 13. The Multifamily Affordable Housing Solar Roofs Program, as directed by D. 17-12-022.